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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (37 C.F.R. § 1.191) AND PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences the decision of the Primary Examiner dated May 22, 2001 rejecting claims 1-55.

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, extending the period of response two months, to expire on October 22, 2001. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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\$ 320.00 400.00 \$ 720.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees of \$720.00, and any additional extension fees or fees for claims, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0665. This notice is being submitted in duplicate.

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